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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket No. (Small Entity) WLJ.067 In Re Application Of: Jyoti Kiron Bhardwai Application No. Filing Date Examiner Customer No. Group Art Unit Confirmation No. 09/674,925 11/08/2000 **Shamim Ahmed** 20987 1765 7580 METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR STABILIZING A PLASMA Invention: **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:** This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action 05/18/2006 in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ☐ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months from: 08/18/2006 until: 11/18/2006 Date Date Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 The fee for the extension of time is \$510 and is to be paid as follows: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0238 If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0238 ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. Dated: NOV. 17, 2006 ADAM C. VOLENTINE **REG. NO. 33289** certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient VOLENTINE FRANCOS & WHITT, PLLC postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the 11951 FREEDOM DRIVE, SUITE 1260 Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on **RESTON VA 20190** (Date) TEL. 571.283.0720

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